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## TO RESIGN PLACE ON SCHOOL BOARD

Trustee Walston Fears it is  
Not Legally Organized

Action of Body Too Precipitate and  
May Involve Members  
Personally.

TRUSTEE W. M. KARNES MAY GO

Believing that the present school board was illegally organized and that under the regime now in control, his usefulness to the school system of Paducah has outlived itself, it is stated by a person in a position to know that U. S. Walston, vice-president of the school board and one of its oldest members in point of service, will hand in his resignation at the meeting of the board next Tuesday night.

The idea of resigning from the board was expressed for the first time by Mr. Walston after the first meeting of the new board the manner of organization having been distasteful to him. At that meeting for an hour and a half Mr. Walston by his opposition held up the stated organization of the board. According to his view-point, one member was seated, who is constitutionally disqualified for membership. A vacancy was filled before the board had ever organized, and third, one of the board's members was elected to the position of secretary, a position which carries with it remuneration from the board.

The opinion is expressed by several of the old members of the board that the new board was illegally organized, and as the members personally are responsible for any financial operations of the board which may be judged illegal, Mr. Walston, who took no part in its organization other than to present a most forceful protest, feels that it is entirely permissible for him to withdraw. Along with the statement that Mr. Walston would resign, it is asserted that W. M. Karnes, also will hand in his resignation. At the organization meeting of the board, Mr. Karnes assented in the views of Mr. Walston on most of the points he brought up against the hasty organization of the board. The majority in the board can get along without either Mr. Walston's or Mr. Karnes' vote to carry on the business of the board after their way of thinking and new members probably would be immediately elected.

When seen this morning about the rumor that he would resign from the board of education, Mr. Walston said it was true and that he would hand in his resignation to President List next Monday. Speaking of his reasons for resigning, Mr. Walston said in substance as told:

"As the majority in the board has the situation in hand, I believe that I could not affect their plans for the management of the schools by remaining in the board. I shall hand in my resignation Monday and they may act on it at the regular meeting Tuesday. At the organization of the board, I saw that my usefulness had been outlived and perhaps they may secure another member who will not obstruct their plans. I do not believe the board was legally organized and for that reason prefer to withdraw."

### CLEVER BEGGARS

Charity Club Meeting With Sly Woman  
an Everywhere in City.

Again the Charity club had an experience yesterday with the horse traders, who have been begging at houses and imposing on the club and individuals for several weeks. One of the women went to a member of the club last night and with a pitiful tale succeeded in getting the member to guaranty rent for a month of a three room house on Mill street, for herself and brother. When Jap Toner, agent of the club, investigated this morning, he found the woman with three other adults of her sex, three men and a host of children moving. They left the city immediately after.

### WATER WALKER OLDRIEVE

Reaches Vicksburg Twelve Hours  
Ahead of Time.

Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 1.—Capt. Charles W. Oldrieve, the "water walker," and his wife left Vicksburg this morning en route to New Orleans, leaving here at 11 o'clock. "I am about 12 hours ahead of time," said Capt. Oldrieve this morning.

### CHICAGO EPIDEMIC.

Chicago, Feb. 1.—Cases of contagious diseases continue to increase in Chicago, but at a less rapid rate than for several days. Cases of infectious diseases reported today were 110.

### ISLAND CHANGED.

San Francisco, Feb. 1.—W. H. Moore, who arrived from Samoa on the steamship Sierra, brings the first definite news of the earthquake of much violence which occurred on Solomon Island some months ago. Information was brought to Asia by a trading schooner. So violent was the upheaval that the entire face of the island was changed. Great gorges were torn and mountains leveled.

### \$1,000,000 FIRE.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 1.—The opera house was destroyed, two hotels wrecked, another theater damaged, a bank building damaged and a number of smaller establishments gutted in a million dollar fire which visited Harrisburg this morning. The fire is still burning, but is under control. Four firemen were injured. The fire started in a hat store underneath the opera house, and following an explosion, spread rapidly.

## COMMERCIAL CLUB ELECTS NEW BOARD

Twenty Representative Citizens Will Serve on Directorate. Many Speeches Were  
Listened To

### A WELL ATTENDED MEETING.

In one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held by the Paducah Commercial club, the organization last night elected the following directors for the ensuing year:

H. C. Rhodes, W. P. Hummel, Sol Dreyfuss, Jacob Wallerstein, F. L. Scott, George C. Wallace, Roy Culler, J. C. Gilbert, Dan Fitzpatrick, S. A. Fowler, George H. Goodman, J. L. Friedman, Harry L. Meyer, C. H. Sherrill, L. W. Henneberger, A. J. Decker, H. A. Petter, Joseph Desberger, J. P. Smith and James Wellie.

President Joseph L. Friedman presided at the meeting, and while a committee was nominating the directors, W. P. Hummel was appointed master of ceremonies. Under his direction the following gentlemen made earnest talks about the work of the Commercial club:

J. G. Gilbert, H. C. Rhodes, W. F. Paxton, Charles W. Wellie, Joseph Desberger, John S. Blecker, J. W. Hughes, W. P. Milliken, Mr. Owsley, George Walters, Harry Hank, H. A. Petter, W. B. Walters, J. W. Little, Mohr Michael, Fred Schaffer, F. M. Fisher, J. P. Smith, J. V. Hardy and H. R. Lindsay.

### NEW POSTOFFICE CLERK.

Mr. Frank Moore Works Inside and  
Randle Is Carrier.

Mr. Frank Moore, carrier of route No. 2, was today made clerk in the local postoffice to succeed Mr. Thaddeus Warsaw Dolberry, resigned. Mr. Moore has been in the service about 8 years and is a faithful worker. His position was given to Henry Randle, a substitute carrier. No substitute to fill Randle's place has been appointed.

### CAME HOME AND GOT LOST AFTER A LONG ABSENCE.

After a ten years' absence from Paducah, Mr. H. Hall, of Irondale, Mo., who is visiting his son, Mr. A. R. Hall, of the Illinois Central, got lost in the heart of the city and had to be guided back home.

"No, I would not recognize it as the town I left ten years ago," he stated. "The paved streets, enlarged postoffice, the numerous up-to-date fronts in business houses and, in fact, the town in general reminds me of the big cities. Paducah's growth has been beyond conception."

There is only one kind of a newspaper circulation statement that is worth any consideration and that is the daily detailed statement. The Sun is the only Paducah paper printing such a statement.

## CITY AND COUNTY OFFICE REPORTS

Business and Health Conditions for January

Building Trade Showed Unusual Activity for This Season—Police Work.

### CITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The report of City Treasurer J. J. Dorian and Auditor Alex Kirkland shows the following condition of city finances:

Balance January 1.....\$22,861.56  
Collected.....32,463.72  
Disbursements.....9,690.42

Balance February 1.....\$45,634.86

### Roving Stock.

Stock Policeman Lycurgus Rice took up six cows, one mare and one horse during January.

### I. C. Hospital.

The Illinois Central hospital report for January shows:  
Patients January 1.....23  
Admitted.....50  
Discharged.....47  
Patients February 1.....26

### Police Report.

The police report for January shows a total of 144 arrests as follows: Breach of the peace, 39; breach of ordinance, 11; drunk, 10; disorderly house, 1; presenting pistol at another, 1; malicious cutting, 5; non-support of children, 1; use of insulting language, 4; housebreakers, 3; drunk and disorderly, 21; disorderly conduct, 22; petty larceny, 2; grand larceny, 3; obtaining property by false pretenses, 3; forgery, 1; gambling, 8; suspect, 1; obtaining money by false pretenses, 1; breaking into railroad box car, 1; selling liquor without license, 1; mooching, 1; total, 144.

### Marriage Licenses.

During January 41 marriage licenses were issued, seven being to colored people.

### Fire Chief Wood Report.

During January the fire department made 11 runs. The total damage from fires is thought not to exceed \$1,000.

### Internal Revenue.

The movement of tobacco in this district during January 1907 indicates that the new year will set a standard for the district in the tobacco handling business. The amount of tobacco handled through Paducah dealers was enormous, and exceeded their expectations. During January L. L. Bebout, stamp deputy, collected on tobacco alone \$9,495.84, leaving only \$1,213.27 collection on cigars, beer and liquor. It is a remarkable report for January. Stamps were issued for 675 barrels of liquor.

### Schools Flourishing.

January opened the second term of school with an excellent attendance, and a prospect for the best of work. The enrollment was increased by the addition of many pupils at the middle of the year, and the total enrollment will exceed any previous year.

### Heavy Railroad Business.

The railroads report a heavy business in January. Some delay and inconvenience was occasioned by the high water and rains, but the business was handled with remarkable success.

### Riverside Hospital.

Patients January 1.....9  
Received—Private.....17  
City.....10  
Treated—Private.....20  
City.....10  
Discharged—Private.....10  
City.....8  
Births.....1  
Deaths.....3  
Patients Feb. 1.....13

### Building Operations.

Building operations were good in January considering the month. Permits were issued for buildings valued in total at \$10,500. The largest permit was for a new store house for Smith & McKinney on Washington street between First and Second streets, to cost \$5,000. Permits for two residences in the west end, one to cost \$3,000 and the other to cost \$1,400 were issued permits. The rest of the permits were for small houses. An addition will be built to the Old Kentucky Manufacturing company.



MAY MCKENZIE, FRIEND OF EVELYN NESBIT THAW, AND MRS. WILLIAM THAW.

## Frontier Committee Calls on Police to Investigate First Ward Houses

Sends Letter to Chief Collins  
Naming Certain Women and  
Places of Residence Considered  
Suspicious

### JUDGE CROSS GIVES OPINION.

Curtailed as the police force was last year, the "Frontier Committee" has accepted Chief of Police Collins' declaration that he could not properly keep all the city under surveillance; but with the 12 additional men added in December, including two plain clothes men, the committee-men have decided to ask the co-operation of the police force in their fight against immoral characters in the First ward.

Accordingly a letter has been addressed to Chief Collins directing his attention to certain houses in the First ward the character of which the committee would like to have passed on by the police department. The chief of police in this letter is asked to have his men investigate the houses designated and to report to the "Frontier Committee" the result of the investigation.

The determination to furnish the police with information in their possession was decided upon at a meeting of the "Frontier Committee" last night. It was brought up by one member that they had not been solicited, either individually or as a whole. The mayor and city judge have been seen and expressed their willingness to do all in their power to further their cause.

The committee appointed to see Judge Cross to get his opinion on their organization, reported that he had been seen. Judge Cross told the committee that any house which has as many as three women occupants, and which is regularly visited by cabs and men, at all hours of the day and night, is subject to an investigation and that the women may be brought before him to prove that they are living within the law.

One woman who was indicted by the last grand jury left town several weeks ago, but it was reported to one of the committee-men that she had been seen at night in the city.

### POOR NEWSPAPER MEN.

Colorado Solons Proceed to Get Even  
With Craft.

Denver, Feb. 1.—A bill was introduced in the legislature by Senator Scott to prohibit papers and news associations from using franks or free service of telegraph or telephone companies. It is charged the Colorado Telephone company annually gives away \$200,000 in free service to papers.

### Passenger Trains Delayed.

A derailed freight engine at Stephensburg Hill, 52 miles west of Louisville, yesterday afternoon delayed the passenger trains Nos. 121 and 101. The former is due at 4:15 o'clock, and arrived at 9:55 o'clock. The latter is the cannon ball and arrived at 8:28 o'clock.

### Burial Permits.

Eleven burial permits, three being for colored people, were issued in January.

### Circuit Court.

This morning the case of Max B. Nahn against F. W. Katterjohn was given to the jury. Special Judge J. E. Robbins, of Mayfield, presided. Circuit Judge William Reed being employed as an attorney in the case. In the case of the Evansville Pressed Brick company against Edward Bridges, a motion for a new trial was filed by the plaintiff.

### In Bankruptcy.

A final dividend was declared in the Moses Schwab bankruptcy case. One hundred and eighty dollars remains to be distributed, and Referee Bagby will recommend a discharge at once. Schwab's creditors got 6 per cent of their debts. The total liabilities was \$10,000.

### William H. Bottoms.

William H. Bottoms, 49 years old, died at 1128 Burnett street this morning of consumption, after a lingering illness. He leaves two sons, two daughters, his father, J. W. Bottoms, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. The burial will be in Oakland cemetery in the county.

## CLEVELAND CUTS INSURANCE MELON

New York, Feb. 1.—Grover Cleveland, former president of the United States, was elected chairman of the association of Life Insurance Presidents at a meeting of the executive committee of that organization today. Cleveland's election was unanimous and he has accepted the position. Cleveland also will act as chief counsel for the association. In addition to these duties, Cleveland will act as referee in the cases of dispute between companies. For these services he will receive from the association \$20,000 a year.

### Root-Smith.

J. H. Root, the barber and member of the state barbers' commission, is in the city, and announced his marriage in St. Louis last month. He was married to Miss Anna Smith, of 3949 Cook avenue, St. Louis. He will make Princeton his future home, and Mrs. Root will arrive after he has established himself there.

### Fred Hunter's Funeral.

The funeral of Fred Hunter, the well known Illinois Central switch engineer who died Wednesday, was held from the residence, 1120 South Third street this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The burial was in Oak Grove cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. G. W. Banks.

The three-month-old infant of J. T. Johnson, 414 South Tenth street, died this morning of stomach trouble. The burial will be tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock in Oak Grove cemetery.

Europe has not one-fifth of the railway mileage per capita that America has.

London has now six complete subway lines and will presently have eleven.

## RED LIGHT SALOON GIVEN THE TORCH

Belief of Those Investigating  
the Fire.

Finis E. Cartwright's Place, 1028  
Kentucky Avenue, Entirely Destroyed This Morning.

### FIREMEN IN NARROW ESCAPE

Fire thought to have been of incendiary origin destroyed the saloon of Finis E. Cartwright, 1028 Kentucky avenue, between 3 and 4 o'clock this morning, and damaged the residence of Fannie Buckner, colored, next door. The building was closed at 12 o'clock and a small fire left in the closed stove, but the proprietor does not believe the conflagration started from this.

Al Redmon, living two doors from the saloon, awoke this morning blinded by the glare of a bright red light. He saw flames rapidly devouring the saloon. A telephone message brought the Nos. 1, 3 and 4 fire companies but the building had been gutted. Only the charred frame walls remain this morning.

Cartwright values his stock at \$2,000 and carries \$1,200 insurance. The Buckner woman carries \$700 insurance and thinks her loss covered. One side of her frame house was charred, and water-soaked all the contents. The Cartwright building is owned by the George O. Hart estate, and is fully insured.

The saloon was located in the heart of the old "red light" against the location of which indignant protests were raised until Judge Reed, of the circuit court, ordered the evacuation of the district.

### Narrow Escape.

Fred Menzler and Noah English, of fire company, No. 4, had a narrow escape from being crushed under a hundred or more bricks. The brick chimney stood above the ceiling, and while the two nozzlemen were playing a stream of water from the inside of the building, there was a deafening crash. The chimney had come through the floor, and bricks were scattered about them for several yards. The firemen could not get away because of the suddenness of the fall, and the heavy column missed them but a few inches.

## BREAK IN LEVEE NEAR HOLLY BUSH

Memphis, Feb. 1.—A strip of territory 30 miles wide and 60 miles long, embracing the towns of Marton, Crawfordsville, Vincent, Edmondson and Earle, Ark., are imperiled by the Holly Bush situation. Should crevasses occur 40,000 people will be made homeless and property loss of over a million dollars caused. The levee has broken at Holly Bush.

### BOY BURGLARS

Get Away With Swag From Tenth  
and Finley.

Boys tore a board from across a window at W. M. Mitchell's grocery and saloon at Tenth and Finley streets, last night and stole a watch, \$7 in cash and a lot of tobacco. One stood watch on the outside while the others ransacked the building. Neighbors raised an alarm but too late to catch the juvenile burglars.

### HIPPLE'S BROTHER IS VICTIM OF OWN HAND

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—Edward P. Hipple, brother of the late Frank Hipple who committed suicide last summer after wrecking the real estate Trust company, shot himself at his home here today. The shot was heard in his bedroom while the rest of the family was at breakfast. No reason as yet is assigned for the deed.

### MIGHTY SWETTENHAM GETS A WHITEWASHING

Bristol, Feb. 1.—An attempt to whitewash Governor Swettenham was made today by Sir Alfred Jones and members of his party, who were in the earthquake at Kingston. Jones says Swettenham is a fine man and controlled the situation from the start.

WEATHER—Unsettled weather with rain tonight and probably Saturday. The highest temperature yesterday 44; lowest today 40.



## LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Is acknowledged to be the most successful remedy in the country for those painful ailments peculiar to women.

For more than 30 years it has been curing Female Complaints, such as Inflammation, and Ulceration, Falling and Displacements, and consequent Spinal Weakness, Backache, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

Records show that it has cured more cases of Female Ills than any other one remedy known.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage of development. Dragging Sensations causing pain, weight, and headache are relieved and permanently cured by its use.

It corrects Irregularities or Painful Functions, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility; also, Dizziness, Pains, Extreme Lassitude, "Don't care and want to be left alone" feeling, Irritability, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Flatulency, Melancholia or the "Blues." These are sure indications of female weakness or some organic derangement.

For Kidney Complaints of either sex Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a most excellent remedy.

### Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Her advice is free and always helpful.



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"Man is not in a position to abolish war," Elihu Root once said. "There is still too much of the animal in him. Even when he seems most mild and good he may have cruel, bestial thoughts revolving in his mind. As an illustration:

"A prison chaplain one day found a convict feeding a rat.

"Aha!" the chaplain said, "so you have a pet, eh?"

"Yes, sir," said the convict, his hoarse voice softening and a gentle smile illuminating his hard face, "I feed him every day. I think more of this here rat, sir, than I do of any other livin' creature."

"The chaplain laid his hand on the

convict's shoulder.

"In every man," he said, "there is something of the angel, if we can but find it. How came you to take such a fancy to this rat?"

"It bit the jailer, sir,"—Under the Spreading Chestnut Tree, in February Everybody's.

### DON'T PUT IT OFF

Until tomorrow what you can do today. If you are suffering from a torpid liver or constipation don't wait until tomorrow to get help. Buy a bottle of Herbine and get that liver working right. Promptness about health saves many sick spells. Mrs. Ida Graham, Point, Tex., writes: "I used Herbine in my family for six years and find it does all it claims to do."

Sold by all druggists.

Mean thoughts starve the soul.

Always Remember the Full Name  
**Laxative Bromo Quinine**  
Cures a Cold in One Day, Grip in 2 Days

**E. M. Linn** on every box, 25c.

## ADDITIONAL REDUCTIONS

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112 South Second St.

Boys' 75c Knee Pants cut to ..... 60c Pair.  
Boys' 50c Knee Pants cut to ..... 40c Pair.  
Boys' 25c Knee Pants cut to ..... 20c Pair.  
One lot Boys' Wool Knee Pants cut to ..... 33c Pair.

### Reductions on Wool Shirts and Sweaters

\$2.50 Sweaters cut to ..... \$1.50  
\$1.50 Sweaters cut to ..... \$1.15  
\$1.25 Sweaters cut to ..... 89c  
50c Sweaters cut to ..... 39c  
\$2.25 Fancy Wool Shirts, worth \$2.50, cut to ..... \$1.75  
\$1.65 Blue Wool Shirts worth \$2.00, cut to ..... \$1.40  
\$1.00 Blue and Fancy Wool Shirts cut to ..... 83c  
\$1.75 Corduroy Shirts cut to ..... \$1.35  
75c Flannel Shirts cut to ..... 60c

THE EARL BLUE DENIM OVERALLS WITH BIBS, REGULAR 50c QUALITY, CUT TO ..... 38c.

10 PER CENT OFF ON ALL WOOL AND LINED GLOVES.

MEN'S FINE JERSEY STOCKINET JACKETS, \$3.50 GRADE, CUT TO \$2.25; \$2.50 GRADE CUT TO ..... \$1.50

\$2.50 SLICKER RAIN COATS THIS WEEK ONLY ..... \$1.75

**SPECIAL**—Men's All Wool Melton Rain and Wind Proof Reefer Overcoats, worth \$6 each, cut to the extreme low figure of..... **\$2.98**

Just the thing for outdoor work where long overcoat would be in the way.

Cut Prices on All Other Lines as Heretofore Advertised

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## COOLIES BARRED BY TREATY TERMS

Japan and United States Agree on New Articles

California Must Treat Those in San Francisco With Consideration Hereafter.

### IT IS UP TO THE PACIFIC COAST.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 1.—President Roosevelt has succeeded in negotiating a treaty with Japan by the terms of which Japanese coolies will be barred out of the United States and American laborers will be excluded from Japan. The status of the citizens of each country residing in the other at the present time will remain unchanged, but the prohibition of the interchange of the laboring element will be complete.

This treaty has been tentatively agreed to by Japan, but there is a string tied to the proposed ratification. The Japanese insist that the Americans must treat the Japanese in this country as fairly as the Japanese treat Americans in Japan. They will insist upon some guarantee against unfair boycotts, mob violence and discrimination.

In other words, if the people of San Francisco will consent to allow Japanese children of school age now there to go to the public schools Japan will thereupon sign a treaty excluding all Japanese laborers from the United States during the life of the treaty.

It is now up to California. The California delegation was at the white house by appointment late this afternoon and as a result of their conference they telegraphed to the president of the board of education of San Francisco and to the superintendent of schools asking them to come on to Washington to hold a conference with the president and secretary of state.

### Up to Frisco Now.

The Japanese question has now reached the point where exclusion can be had within a few weeks and the stream of Japanese immigration into this country stopped for good and all if San Francisco will consent to put up with the students already in the schools and make the best of their presence there. There are a few of these students in San Francisco, and the objection has been so generally to those of mature age, that it is believed the people of the Pacific slope will readily see the advantage of seizing upon this compromise by means of which the Japanese question will be settled in the speediest possible way.

It would be impossible to get an exclusion act through congress at the present session.

### Endorsed by the County.

"The most popular remedy in Otsego County, and the best friend of my family," writes Wm. M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proven to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for Lung and Throat diseases." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

"I'm not going near that restaurant again."

"Why not?"

"Some fool took my umbrella and left his in its place."

"But you might run across him."

"That's the trouble. I don't want to. I've got the best umbrella."

Milwaukee Sentinel.

It is fortunate for most men that the Recording Angel doesn't pay much attention to what his neighbors say of him.

### LANG BROS. SUCCESSFUL.

After a great deal of effort and correspondence Lang Bros., the popular druggists, have succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard Co. to make a special half price introductory offer on the regular fifty cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

Headaches, coated tongue, dizziness, gas on stomach, specks before the eyes, constipation, and all forms of liver and stomach trouble are soon cured by this scientific medicine.

So great is the demand for this specific, that Lang Bros. have been able to secure only a limited supply, and every one who is troubled with dyspepsia, constipation or liver trouble should call upon them at once, or send 25 cents, and get sixty doses of the best medicine ever made, on this special half-price offer, with their personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

## OLIVER NO CINCH FOR CANAL WORK

Statement From White House to This Effect

It Is Understood That President Favors Government Work Under Engineer Stevens.

### BIG GUNS LIVE SHORT WHILE

Washington, Feb. 1.—In a statement made at the white house this evening it is stated emphatically that no decision has been reached that William J. Oliver is to be given the contract for the construction of the isthmian canal. Not only does the announcement declare that Mr. Oliver has not been awarded the contract even provisionally, but it opens the possibility of the work going to the MacArthur-Gillespie combination, which submitted the only bid other than that of Mr. Oliver to receive serious consideration.

For several days there have been symptoms of a desire on the part of the president to have the government do the work, and it is believed that this will very likely be done. The statement of this evening indicates that it is possible.

### Big Guns Shoot Out.

General William Crozier, chief of ordnance of the United States army, told the other day that our big 12-inch guns, which carry a projectile weighing 1,000 pounds, with a velocity of 2,600 feet a second for several miles, can be fired only 60 or 65 times. After that number of rounds the rifling in the bore of the gun will become obliterated. There is a difference of opinion as to what causes this; whether the contact with the projectile wears it out, or whether the intense heat caused by the combustion of a large charge of powder brings the skin of the metal nearly to the melting point and, being in that state, the rifling is washed away by the rush of the powder itself. But anyway, after 60 rounds, the projectile will not follow the rifling in the gun unless a larger band of copper than usual is placed around it. The projectile is made of steel and is embraced by a copper band which, fitting into the rifling in the bore of the gun, causes its revolution. By enlarging this band the gun may be made to last a little longer. It can be fired perhaps a dozen times more.

### EDUCATED ONE ANOTHER.

It is a great thing for hundreds of splendid young men from all over the country to be thrown intimately together at the age of the greatest expectancy, when life promises so much, at an age when youths are full of hope and ambition, and feel strong and vigorous. There is an untold advantage in the growth and expansion which come from the constant measuring of mind with mind, the attrition of mentalities, the measuring of brain power, the comparing of ability, of experiences the tempering, the constant drill in self-mastering, self-sacrifice, the constant prodding of ambition, the spurring of lagging energy. All these things are of untold advantage.

I believe that the advantages of mere book learning in college are overestimated. That is, I believe that a great deal of what is attributed to the studies themselves comes from the association of the students.

We hear a great deal about the development of personal power in solitude; but while a certain amount of this is necessary, yet there is no substitute for the growth and education which comes from intimate association with human beings.

As a rule, the men who pay their own way through colleges are the most successful because they are the most practical men. On the other hand, every man who has to devote a great deal of his time to paying his way suffers an immense loss from the lack of larger association with the students.

Many of these men who work their way through college feel obliged to go directly from the classroom to their own room. They can not enter into many of the sports with the other students because they are obliged to remain in their rooms and study during evenings, Saturday and holidays alike.

I believe that many college men owe more to what they get from their fellow students than from their studies. In saying this, I do not underestimate the great value of what comes from lectures and books; but I believe it is impossible to overestimate the value of the social intercourse of the college.—Success.

# Danderine

## GROWS HAIR

AND WE CAN

## PROVE IT



The great efficiency and reliability of Danderine as a hair grower and scalp regenerator have won the confidence and patronage of millions and millions of people throughout the United States. It has attained a larger sale and is more generally used than any other article—be it toilet or medicinal—that has ever been sold or handled by the Drug trade in this country.

DANDERINE makes the scalp healthy and fertile and keeps it so. It is the greatest scalp fertilizer and therefore the greatest hair-producing remedy the world has ever known. It is a natural food and a wholesome medicine for both the hair and scalp. Even a 25c bottle of it will put more genuine life in your hair than a gallon of any other hair tonic ever made. It shows results from the very start.

NOW at all druggists in THREE SIZES, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle.

**FREE**

To show how quickly Danderine acts we will send a large sample free by return mail to anyone who sends this advertisement to the Knawton Danderine Co., Chicago, with their name and address and ten cents in silver or stamps to pay postage.

## THEATRICAL NOTES

### "The Social Whirl."

Laughable complications resulting from a too profuse similarity of initials is the basis of the fun in "The Social Whirl", which will be presented here on Tuesday night at the Kentucky theater, by Sam S. and Lee Shubert. An item published in "The Social Whirl", a society scandal sheet, concerning one "J. E." brings pious apprehension to several, and in their efforts to extricate themselves with credit and without embarrassing disclosures, they succeed in keeping the house in a roar of laughter for a trifle over two hours of mirth and melody. This successful musical comedy is in two acts. The book is by Charles Doty and Joseph Herbert. Mr. Herbert also furnished the lyrics. The music is by Gustave Kerker.

**FILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS**  
FAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure all cases of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

"Is he a close friend?" "I should say so. He wouldn't even lend me a dollar."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"Dear, you know Jack was just crazy to marry me," remarked the new bride. "Yes. That's what everybody thinks."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

The only good that really is good for any is that which works good for all.

## Che Kentucky

BOTH PHONES 545.

Tuesday Night, Feb. 5

SAM S. AND LEE SHUBERT

INCORPORATED  
Offer the New York Casino Musical Comedy Success!

## The Social Whirl

Direct from its all summer run at the New York Casino, with its big cast and production.

Company of 80. Chorus of 60

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**CHARLES J. ROSS**

Of Ross & Fenton.

Songs that are catchy, songs that are tuneful, songs that are a novelty, songs that start your feet pattering.

### PRICES

Entire orchestra ..... \$1.50  
Balcony ..... 50c, 75c, \$1.00  
Gallery ..... 25c, 35c  
Seats on Sale Monday 9 a. m.

## We Use the King of All Bosom Ironers.—Why?

First—Because it irons smoothly, not rough.

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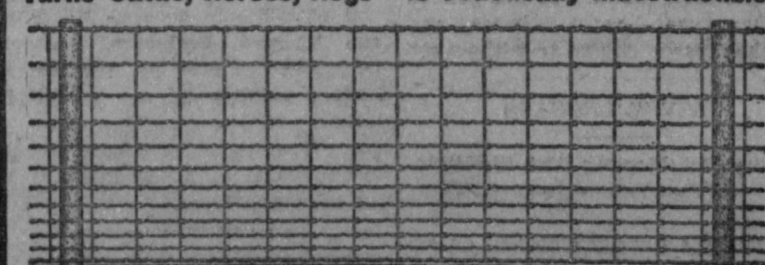
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Buy your new fence for years to come. Get the big, heavy wires, the hinge joint, the good galvanizing, the exactly proportioned quality of steel that is not too hard nor too soft.

We can show you this fence in our stock and explain its merits and superiority, not only in the roll but in the field. Come and see us and get our prices.

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## FEEBLE OLD PEOPLE

Are Much Benefited by the Use of Vinol.

Hundreds of old people right here in Paducah need just such a strength maker and body-builder as our delicious cod liver preparation, Vinol; and we simply cannot understand why they will continue to drag out a half-dead and half-alive existence, when we guarantee Vinol will invigorate every organ in the body, stop the natural decline, and make them well, vigorous and strong.

If you want to know how an aged, feeble, discouraged man or woman may be made active, cheerful and vigorous, read this letter:

Mrs. Catherine Thorer, of Albany, N. Y., writes: "Six months ago I felt that I was broken down by age, and I was doomed to the weak and feeble condition of old people. The slightest exertion tired me, and I had no strength. My daughter brought me a bottle of Vinol. I soon felt an improvement; I continued its use, and am now well, cheerful, and stronger than I have been for years; in fact, I feel ten years younger."

Vinol is not a stimulant which reacts on the system, but it is a genuine cod liver and iron tonic which in a natural manner makes rich red blood and replaces weakness with strength. We wish every old person in Paducah would try Vinol on our offer to return money if it fails. W. B. McPherson, Druggist.

NOTE.—While we are sole agents for Vinol in Paducah, it is now for sale at the leading drug store in nearly every town and city in the country. Look for the Vinol agency in your town.

## BIG FORCE

WILL BE KEPT AT WORK AT THE ILLINOIS CENTRAL SHOPS.

No Reduction in Employees Was Made This Winter and Summer Promises Better.

February 1 brought no changes in the force or working hours at the Paducah Illinois Central shops, but March 1 will doubtless bring an order for increased hours with authority for an increased force generally.

During this winter the shops have run without the "annual cut" in the force. This is the first time this condition has existed, and if the work continues as it has, will mean a large force constantly employed.

"The class of engines we use on these divisions now makes repair work less frequent but when it has to be done it amounts to a great deal more than on the smaller type of locomotive," an official explained. "The outlook for the summer for a extra large force with steady work is bright. There are over 25 of the big class freight engines which have been working hard all the winter handling the increased business, and many will need overhauling."

**A STITCH IN TIME**  
Will save nine. So will a bottle of Ballard's Horchound Syrup always kept on hand save many a spell of sickness. A sure cure for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and Whooping Cough. Mrs. S. Hot Springs, Ark., writes: "I keep a bottle of Ballard's Horchound Syrup in my medicine chest, and thank my forethought many times. It has prevented many severe spells of sickness."

Sold by all druggists.

"The doctor said he would put me on my feet again in two weeks."

"Well, didn't he do it?"

"He did, indeed. I had to sell my auto to pay his bill!"—Smith's Weekly.

## Direct from Tampa

Another Case of

## Havana Blossom

5c Cigars

The rich, full aroma of Havana Blossoms has certainly caught the fancy of Paducah smokers, if we may judge by the demand. Just received another case direct from Tampa last evening and we should like for you to try them. They're not made for style, you know, but the quality is simply great.

## GILBERT'S Drug Store

4th and Broadway

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## TRAVELING MEN

CANNOT REACH INLAND TOWNS BECAUSE OF BAD ROADS.

Wholesale Houses Bear Expenses Without Any Returns—Liverymen Suffer.

The constant rains have made roads in the Ohio valley impassable and besides the thousands of dollars loss in trade to merchants, liverymen have lost property and suffered great damage.

"You see drummers going out on a trip. Maybe you will put it in the paper that they left, but you miss the real story," a traveling man declared this morning. "I have not sold enough goods the past month to make my expenses in the rural districts. We just can not get into the country towns because of impassable roads. Liverymen refused in many districts in southern Illinois and western Kentucky to hire teams. Some times horses have been drowned while trying to swim swollen streams attached to the buggy. Harness has been broken up by hard pulling through the mud; teams kept out many hours over time because of the difficult traveling and letters by the score are received from our houses jacking us up about dull trade. They can not understand that we can not get to the towns. I venture whole-sale in every line have lost more money this winter from the rains and rises in the river than in years."

## Tom Johnson's \$10.

While a group of horsemen were arguing for a speedway before Mayor Johnson a distinguished-looking, well-dressed man entered the office and insisted on pulling the mayor aside.

"But you do not owe me the money—I never saw you before," said the mayor at last loudly.

"But you must remember," insisted the visitor. "Months ago I came here despondent and broke and you gave me \$10. That \$10 was the starter for a fortune. I have made \$1,000,000 since then. Here is the \$10," and the visitor tucked a \$10 bill into the mayor's hand.

"I really don't believe I ever saw you before, but since you insist I accept, and hope you make a million more," said the mayor.—Cleveland special to New York World.

## CONGRESS ACTS ON MANY MEASURES

Washington, Feb. 1.—The senate today began its session with a lecture from Senator Hale, who contended that too much talking and not enough work was being done. He had particular reference to his inability to secure passage of the diplomatic and consular and the fortifications appropriation bills which were on the calendar. Before the session ended these two measures had been disposed of.

Senator Beveridge concluded his speech in advocacy of his child labor bill which has occupied three days. His argument today was devoted to the constitutional power of congress to prohibit interstate commerce in child-made goods. He was questioned somewhat closely by senators who hold this power does not exist, and in replying, took the broad ground that the power of congress over interstate and foreign commerce was absolute; that such commerce could be prohibited altogether as far as the power was concerned, and that in all cases question of policy and not of power was the point to be considered.

The house today passed the senate bill increasing the board of customs of appraisers in New York from 10 to 12 and also passed the senate bill making provision for conveying a strip of ground in St. Augustine, Fla., known as the "Lines" for school purposes.

## Favor Free Seeds.

The agricultural appropriation bill occupied the house most of the day and as usual when the amendment striking out the free distribution of seeds was reached, members from the farming districts outvoted those from the cities, reversed a ruling of the chair by a vote of 136 to 85 and restored the paragraph as has been the law for a number of years.

Recommendation of the committee on agriculture to increase the salaries of Chief Forester Pinchot, and Chief of the Bureau of Chemistry Wiley from \$3,000 to \$4,500 went out on a point of order.

An important amendment was adopted that no part of the money appropriated for expenses in the enforcement of the national pure food law should be paid to any state, city or district official, the amendment being based on the theory that states should execute their own pure food laws and the federal government do the same. After completing nearly 50 pages of the bill and perfecting it in some particulars the house adjourned.

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## GREEN TAG SALE

## A Sale of Surpassing Interest

A Matchless Offering of Fine, Hand-Tailored Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats and other Lines at About Half Their Real Value.

THIS occasion affords an opportunity of unusual importance for you to supply your clothing needs, either present or future. Our Green Tag Sale has been in operation nearly a week, and will end Saturday night at 10 o'clock. We have added to each of the three lots in the Men's Clothing Section Blue and Black Suits and Raincoats, which will be on sale in the morning.

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Men's Black and Fancy Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats

Lot 1 Contains men's Black and Fancy Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$12.50. Green Tag Sale **\$5.00**

Lot 2 Contains Men's Black and Fancy Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats that sold up to \$20.00. Green Tag Sale **\$10.00**

Lot 3 Contains Men's Black and Fancy Suits, Overcoats and Raincoats that sold up to \$40.00. Green Tag Sale **\$15.00**

Every Man's Fancy Suit and Overcoat in the House Included in This Sale.

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Men's Fancy Vests

Lot 1. This line is composed mostly of \$1.50 and \$2.00 goods. However, all the broken sizes of the \$2.50 lines have also been added. Your choice **\$1.10**

Lot 2. In this line are our \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00 White and Fancy Vests. Your pick of the lot for **\$2.35**

Lot 3. This line is composed of \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50 White and Fancy Vests. Your choice for **\$3.75**

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Men's Soft and Stiff Hats

Lot 1. Consists of 75 Soft and Stiff Imperial and Ludlow \$3.00 Hats. Mostly light colors **\$1.95**

Lot 2. Consists of 60 \$4.00 Stetsons and \$5.00 Knox Soft Hats. Your Choice for **\$2.30**

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Hosiery, Handkerchiefs and Neckwear

15 dozen 50c Fancy Hose, Reduced to 35c, three for **\$1.00**

25 dozen 25c Fancy Hose, reduced to 20c, three for **50c**

10 dozen 25c Silkoline Handkerchiefs, reduced to 15c seven for **\$1.00**

An elegant assortment of Neckwear, consisting of English Squares, Ascots, Club Ties, Puffs and Four-in-Hands, at the remarkable low price of **25c**

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Men's Shirts

Lot 1 consists of 30 dozen 50c Negligee and Stiff Bosom Shirts. A rare bargain at **35c**

Lot 2. 50 dozen \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.50 Stiff Bosom Shirts, including "Monarchs," "Cluett's" and "Wallerstein's". This is the lot that sold last week at 79c. They are now reduced to **63c**

Lot 3. Includes the entire balance of our Stiff Bosom Shirts that formerly sold at \$1.50 and up, and all of our \$1.50 Men's Negligee and Plaited Bosom Shirts, cuffs attached or detached. Now reduced to **\$1.10**

Lot 4. Includes all \$2 and above Men's Negligee and Plaited Bosom Shirts, cuffs attached or detached. Now reduced to **\$1.35**

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Winter Underwear

Choice of our \$2.00 and \$2.50 Underwear and Union Suits **\$1.60**

Choice of our \$3.00 and \$3.50 Underwear and Union Suits **\$2.50**

Choice of our \$4.00 Underwear and Union Suits **\$3.20**

Choice of our \$5.00 Underwear and Union Suits **\$4.00**

Choice of our \$6.00 and \$7.50 Underwear and Union Suits **\$4.50**

Choice of our \$10.00 Underwear and Union Suits **\$6.00**

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Men's Trousers.

\$1.50 Pants now.....	\$1.00	\$4.50 Pants now.....	\$3.05
2.00 Pants now.....	1.35	5.00 Pants now.....	3.65
2.50 Pants now.....	1.65	6.00 Pants now.....	4.35
3.00 Pants now.....	2.15	6.50 Pants now.....	4.75
3.50 Pants now.....	2.45	7.50 Pants now.....	5.25
4.00 Pants now.....	2.85	8.00 Pants now.....	5.50

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Wool and Lined Leather Gloves

.50 Gloves now.....	.40	2.50 Gloves now.....	\$2.00
1.00 Gloves now.....	.80	3.00 Gloves now.....	2.40
1.50 Gloves now.....	1.20	3.50 Gloves now.....	2.65
2.00 Gloves now.....	1.60	5.00 Gloves now.....	3.75

## GREEN TAG SALE IN THE BOYS' SHOP

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Children's Clothing

Lot 1. Choice of 125 Boys' and Children's \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00 Suits and Overcoats, now **\$1.65**

Lot 2. Choice of 150 Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$4.00, now **\$2.65**

Lot 3. Choice of over 200 Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$5.50, now **\$3.65**

Lot 4. Choice of 175 Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats that sold up to \$7.00, now **\$4.65**

Lot 5. Choice of 100 Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats that sold from \$7.50 up to \$12.50, now **\$5.65**

Every Suit and Overcoat in the Boys' Shop is included in this offer.

## GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON

## Boys' and Juvenile Sweaters, Hats and Caps

Lot 382. Blue and Red Boys' and Juvenile Sweaters, ages 3 to 15, were 75c, now **35c**

Lot 383. Gray, Red and White Juvenile Military Sweater Coats, ages 3 to 7, were \$1.00, now **69c**

Lot 384. Blue, White, Red and Gray Sweater Jackets and Juveniles, ages 3 to 15, were \$1.00, now **75c**

Lot 385. Brown, Red, White and Blue Sweater Jackets and Norfoks, ages 3 to 15, were \$1.50, now **\$1.10**

Lot 386. White, Red and Blue Norfolk Sweater and Jackets, ages 4 to 6, and Turtle Neck Sweaters, sizes 30 to 32, were \$2.00 and \$2.50, now **\$1.50**

Lot 387. Child's Sailor Hats—Felts and Velvets, were \$1.25 and \$1.50; and 65 Child's 50c Caps, sizes 6 1-8 to 6 5-8, now **25c**

Lot 388. Child's Red Beaver Sailor Hats, were \$1.00; and 50 Child's 25c and 50c Caps, sizes 6 1-8 to 6 5-8, now **10c**



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CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

January, 1907.

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6. .... 3875 15. .... 3877

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Total ..... 105,612

Increase ..... 199

Average for January, 1907, ..... 3912

Average for January, 1906, ..... 3713

Personally appeared before me,

this Feb. 1, 1907, E. J. Paxton, gen-

eral manager of The Sun, who af-

firmes that the above statement of

the circulation of The Sun for the

month of Jan., 1907, is true to the

best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires January

22, 1908.

Daily Thought.

"Faith is to man what the founda-

tion is to the house."

THE COMMERCIAL CLUB.

Another year has passed and the

Paducah Commercial club has grown

in influence and effectiveness; but

the membership has not increased in

proportion to the importance of this

institution. The fault lies to some

extent with the members themselves,

as we have many times pointed out.

All business men have as much as

they desire to attend to in the man-

agement of their own affairs. Any

additional burdens are avoided with

a persistency that hardens with years.

If the business man sees that others

are attending to certain public and

civil duties devolving on volunteers

in the community, he will let it go at

that, co-operating when the exigency

demands anything of him, but con-

sistently shunning the assumption of

any future obligations. Progressive

citizens took hold of the Commercial

club and in the face of discouragem-

ents have made it an institution for

the commercial good of Paducah.

Others, seeing them doing this, with

a gracious lack of envy truly altruis-

tic, have permitted them to continue

in the good work, neither aiding nor

positively hindering their efforts.

Now, these business men, who have

not been participating in the active

work of the organization, could be

brought in if every member of the

Commercial club would pledge him-

self to secure one new member this

month. That would double the mem-

bership of the organization and give

Paducah a Commercial club of the

size the city merits, and of power and

influence many fold multiplied. There

is not a member of the club unable

to secure a new member and until

a proselyting campaign is undertaken

the growth of the organization will

be slow, though its present strength

is maintained.

Hundreds of little things, that un-

done would have proved embarrassing

to the city, have been accom-

plished quietly and much as a matter

of course by the Commercial club

during the year. The entertainment

of capitalists and business men, the

furnishing of information to them

concerning the city; the answering

of correspondence on subjects close

to the industrial welfare of Paducah;

the development of enterprises yet to

be fulfilled, which the breadth of pub-

licity might now put to death—all

these things come clearly within the

province of such an organization, and

they have cost hundreds of dollars,

not a cent of which was wasted.

Through its agency the McCracken

County Farmers' Institute was orga-

nized, and by the co-operation of both

the organizations the state farmers'

Institute for the western district was

held in this city for three days. It

was through the active efforts of the

Commercial club that the immigra-

tion convention was held here, the

starting of a movement that promises

much for the development of this

section.

The Commercial club pressed home

on both railroad lines the urgency

of locating ticket and freight offices

on Broadway, and this city feature

has been vouchsafed Paducah.

It was through the Commercial

club that the Iowa delegation of over

100 prominent westerners was intro-

duced to real Kentucky hospitality

in such an unexpected and altogether

charming manner, that every publi-

cation in Iowa of any importance, de-

voted columns, not only of the hos-

pitality of Paducah, but to her com-

mercial advantages, the knowledge

of the subject they displayed indi-

cating that the Commercial club

committee did not fail in its duty to

impress on the stranger within our

gates the manifold blessings Provi-

dence hath bestowed on this city.

The year was closed with the in-

ducement of Mr. Harry Finley to lo-

cate his glass plant in this city, un-

der a contract to erect buildings and

guaranty a payroll of \$3,000 weekly.

These are some of the things ac-

complished by the Commercial club

that have reached the stage where

publicity is not fatal. All business

men recognize the benefits, the neces-

sity of having such an institution.

The harvest is ripe, and if the mem-

bers start the new year properly, the

Paducah Commercial club will begin

its annual work under conditions,

the most auspicious in its history.

HAWESVILLE'S PERIL.

Hawesville is a dry town, how dry

the liquor dealers of Cloverport know

best, for according to the Breckin-

ridge News, Hawesville was on the

verge of a panic—a sort of municipal

delirium tremens—when the high

water terminated river and rail con-

nections with towns of more liberal

views. But Cloverport came to the

rescue as shown by the following ex-

tract from the News:

Hawesville got her booze all

right.

Hawesville came near having

a booze famine last week, caused

by the flood, but Cloverport

averted the catastrophe, by furn-

ishing it in wagon loads.

Good old Cloverport, with all her

faults Hawesville loves her

still.

Cloverport had the booze and

Hawesville had the thirst, and

when the local supply of the

stuff that paints men's noses

gave out and the floods stopped

railroad and boat traffic some en-

terprising and accommodating

(?) saloonkeeper had an idea;

it could be toted in wagons

across the country from Clover-

port. And Hawesville got her

booze.

But let it be said to Hawes-

ville's credit that she does not

endorse the liquor traffic, as was

shown in the local option elec-

tion last fall when Hawesville

and Hancock county went dry.

It was just some fellows who

wanted to put in full time dur-

ing the last days of the saloon.

Anyhow, Hawesville got her

booze.

A FARMER'S VIEW.

A Graves county farmer writes to

the Mayfield Messenger in the follow-

ing vein:

"We are taxed and taxed and al-

ways will be. We now have a road

tax.

"Let that be as it may, we have

this tax to pay and as I think a very

poor prospect of ever having any-

thing like good roads. We have had

the dirt roads always and we know

they are a failure and always will

be.

"You may work them when you

will and how you will the same thing

will continue to exist, especially at

this season of the year—bad roads.

It does seem to me that the people

of Graves county will become so dis-

gusted with our dirt roads or rather

our mud roads that they will be

ready to do away with them entirely

and have them graveled, something

that will be permanent and lasting,

one that will be as good in January

as it is in June.

"I believe if we will do away with

the present system of road working

and as the Messenger has frequent-

ly stated, bond the county, say for

\$200,000 for 30 years, and have our

roads graveled, which I believe will

be cheaper and no doubt by far the

best. I think the times demand such

roads when we take into considera-

tion the vast amount of travel that

goes over our public highways, not

only of our own county, but all the

adjoining counties, and a great por-

tion of it with heavily loaded wagons,

hauling tobacco and other products

to market at a time of year when no

dirt roads can stand such strains."

THE JOKESMITH.

Patience—"How do you know

Peggy is alone?"

Patrice—"Because I hear her sing-

ing."

"But that's no sign."

"Yes, it is. If there was anyone

with her she'd be talking."—Yonkers

Statesman.

"Has your son arrived at years of

discretion?"

"Oh, yes. He's about to be mar-

ried."

"How you contradict yourself!"—

Cleveland Leader.

## NEWS OF KENTUCKY

## Burned to Death.

Dawson, Ky., Feb. 1.—While Mrs. Otha Beshear was putting a kettle of beans on the fire to cook at her home at Hamby Station, her clothing caught fire and she was so badly burned that death resulted about two o'clock in the afternoon. When her clothing caught fire she called to her husband, who was in the back part of the room, to come to her rescue. Mr. Beshear is almost blind and could not locate her at once as she kept moving about the room, but succeeded in throwing some water upon her which did not extinguish the fire. She rushed to the bed and set it a fire, also, and soon after a son-in-law rushed in and succeeded in putting out the fire, but Mrs. Beshear was so badly burned that she died in the afternoon as stated above.

## Gobbler Knew Her.

Owensboro, Ky., Feb. 1.—Jesse McIntyre, of the Yelvington neighborhood, was presented before Justice Rodman yesterday on a warrant charging him with having stolen four turkeys from Mrs. E. L. Lyons. He waived examining trial and was held over to the grand jury under bond of \$50.

The prosecution would have undertaken to show some unusual proof, including the identification of Mrs. Lyons by one of her turkeys. The turkeys were at the produce house of Miller Bros. Mr. Lyons went to the establishment, pointed out four turkeys which he said were his and said they had been unlawfully taken from his premises near Yelvington. His ability to identify his turkeys among so great a number was called in question. "Well," he said, "my wife can come here and call that gobbler and he will answer her."

Mrs. Lyons did come and, standing in front of the turkey pen called, "Gob, gob!" That was the name of the gobbler. He ran to her immediately and ate corn from her hand. At least, this is what the prosecution said they could show. They did not have an opportunity, however, as McIntyre waived examining trial. He executed bond and returned to his home.

## Britain's Naval Strength.

Some official figures published the other day in the London Times by Sir William White indicate that at the present time Great Britain's sea power is more than equal to the combined navies of not any two but of any three countries in the world. The figures cited by Sir William White cover the six years ending on March 31, 1906, and compare the tonnage of first-class battleships built and completed for sea by the United Kingdom, Germany, France and the United States during that period.

Great Britain constructed vessels aggregating 248,385 tons; Germany, 143,122 tons; the United States, 101,210 tons, and France, 44,295 tons. It is obvious that the aggregate tonnage built during the sexennial term by the three countries last named fell short of the tonnage created in the same time in the United Kingdom by 50,000 tons.—New York Sun.

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Every dose makes you feel better. Lax-Pop keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

## Beheaded and Deprived of Vote.

Ludwig Tessenow, the child murderer, who has been on his trial at Greifswald, Germany, for the past 10 days, has been sentenced to death, having been convicted on two separate counts. The verdict condemns him to be beheaded twice, while he is given two years' imprisonment upon the third charge of murderous assault. Finally he is to suffer loss of his political rights.—London Daily Mail.

## NATURE AS A RECONSTRUCTOR.

"Nature repairs her ravages—repairs them with her sunshine and with human labor."

Osteopathy is one of Nature's most used instruments in repairing her ravages. Take the Osteopathic treatment of headaches. It locates the primary cause and removes it, not, in administering a common known sedative to one and all alike, but by a simple mechanical manipulation.

So, in digestive disorders Osteopathy restores the nervous equilibrium to the stomach, bowels, liver, pancreas, etc., and a unity of action established the disorders are readily controlled and cured.

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I should like to tell you personally at any time of the great success I am having with the treatment and refer you to some of your friends who will eagerly attest to what Osteopathy is doing or has done for them. Phone me at 1407 at any time.

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## WIEBOLDT

## FATHER AND DAUGHTER MAY BE IN PADUCAH.

Chicago Reporter Supposed to Have Interviewed Her as She Was Boarding Train.

Are W. R. Wieboldt and his daughter, Martha, in Paducah?

Chicago detectives believe that the man, who burned his own furniture store at 1302 Belmont avenue, Chicago, did not commit suicide, as was reported, but that he and his daughter, Martha, implicated with him, came to Paducah to the home of Mrs. Emma Hale, who holds a mortgage on the store.

The story that they committed suicide by jumping in the lake was told by another daughter, Agatha.

The condition in which the furniture store was found after the fire was extinguished indicated beyond doubt that it was set on fire. All through the building cotton blankets saturated with coal oil were laid in a long train, and in some places cotton signs and excelsior were stacked.

Wieboldt lost large sums speculating



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## LOCAL NEWS

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Paducah police have been notified to keep a lookout for Jesse Cee, alias Cole colored for whom a reward of \$1,500 is offered. He is alleged to have murdered Patrolman Charles Russell, of Indianapolis, Ind. The negro is a native of Kentucky.

City subscribers to the Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make their requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to our carriers. Sun Pub. Co.

Drink Belvedere the Paducah beer.

Get your meals at Whitehead's restaurant, 215 Broadway, these bad days. Nice, polite service guaranteed.

For high-grade wallpaper see Kelly & Umbaugh, 321 Kentucky Av.

Belvedere beer is a home product. Remember that.

Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun shows as great an assortment as you find anywhere at prices much lower than you pay elsewhere.

A committee has been appointed to see to enlarging the Mission Baptist church on North Twelfth street. The rapidly growing congregation calls for more room. The Rev. J. R. Clark, assistant to the Rev. Calvin M. Thompson, of the First Baptist church, will conduct services at the mission church each Sunday.

You know your calling cards are correct when they come from The Sun. Script cards and plate \$1.50 a hundred, the Old English \$3.

Wedding invitations, announcements and every character of engraved work is given careful, personal attention at The Sun.

Henry Beasley, colored, 51 years old, of 735 North Ninth street, died this morning of stomach trouble. The body will be buried tomorrow afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery.

Globe Wernicke filling cases and all supplies for them, also the best line of carbons. A full line of blank books and all kinds of office supplies. Telephone orders promptly filled. Old phone 436. R. D. Clements & Co.

We have Slug Shot that will destroy all insects on plants; and Plant Food that will make plants grow.

Richard Bailey, colored, 55 years old, died of consumption. The body will be buried tomorrow afternoon in Oak Grove cemetery.

Dr. V. Blythe has moved from Fraternity building to 525 Broadway next to Register building. Office phones 870, residence 272.

Upright pianos from \$150 to \$200, to reduce our stock of slightly used pianos we make these offers. W. T. Miller & Bro., 518 Broadway.

Mr. J. H. Garrison, of West Broadway, is at the head of a corporation under course of organization which will be capitalized at \$25,000 to buy 15,000 acres of timber land in Tennessee.

Frame residence of 12 rooms on Trimble street, having cellar, four closets, bath, hot and cold water, grates throughout, large, comfortable rooms, two attics. Lot 56x165, having large stable, cistern, winter and summer kitchen. Everything in good condition. H. C. Hollins, Trueheart Bldg. Telephone 127.

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## PEOPLE AND SOCIAL EVENTS

### Entertains With a Tacky Party.

Miss Flossy Like very delightfully entertained a number of friends at her home on South Sixth street on Thursday evening with a tacky party. Refreshments were served during the evening and the occasion was a very jolly one. Prizes were given for the most unique costume. The lady's prize went to Miss Mollie Sullivan, and the gentleman's prize to Mr. Velvin Quarles. Those present were: Misses Essie Smith, Lucy Ghoson, Edna Hays, Mollie Sullivan, Flossy Like and Miss Garland; Messrs. Will Bouland, Arthur Bouland, Silas Howard, Velvin Quarles and Mr. Like.

### Informal Dance for Visitors.

There will be an informal dance this evening in the parlors of Dr. I. B. Howell at the Columbia Building. It is gotten up by several of the young society men in honor of visitors in the city.

### Kalosophic Club.

The Kalosophic club met this morning with Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, of North Ninth street. Miss Marjorie Scott discussed "Current Topics" very interestingly. "Greek Comedy" was discussed by Miss Blanche Hills in an able paper. Miss Hallie Hisey gave a comprehensive resume of "The Development of the Roman Drama."

### Clever Entertainment This Evening.

The Junior Guild of Grace Episcopal church will give a clever little entertainment in two parts this evening at the parish house of the church. Part I is a "Topsy Turvey Comedy" by six girls. Part II is a comedy drama in two acts entitled "A Black Diamond." This will be presented by a talented cast composed of some of the younger society girls and several young men.

### Enjoyable Dance Last Evening.

A number of the society boys gave a very delightful dance last evening at the Knights of Pythias hall. It was chaperoned by Mrs. Jetta Hobson, Mrs. Annabel Seebree and Mrs. Lawrence Gleaves. There were fourteen couples present.

### Card Party for Mrs. Sanders.

Mrs. Hughes McKnight and Miss Sarah Sanders issued invitations this afternoon to a card party for the afternoon of Wednesday, February 6, at their home on West Jefferson street, in honor of Mrs. William Davis Sanders, of Columbus, Miss., their guest.

### The Woman's Club.

The Woman's club met yesterday afternoon at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church in regular semi-monthly session. A business meeting was held at 2 o'clock. Mrs. James Rudy, the president, reported that the deed of the purchase of a property on Kentucky avenue for a club house had been filed. The house committee, Mrs. I. D. Wilcox, chairman, will take charge of the club house at once and preparations for putting it in complete order for occupancy will be begun immediately. Reports were heard from three of the departments, Art, Civics and Educational yesterday.

The Art department Miss Anna Webb, chairman, announced the organization of that committee, and outlined a line of educational work in art and architecture, with a series of lectures for the future.

The department of Civics, Mrs. John G. Miller, chairman, reported an enthusiastic preliminary meeting yesterday morning, but the organization would be more fully effected at a meeting to be held next week. This

committee has allied itself with the "American Civic Federation" and will work along these lines.

The department of Education, Mrs. Henry Overby, chairman, has secured Mrs. C. O. Mengel, a prominent club woman of Louisville, to address the Paducah Woman's club on March 7 along the line of "Educational Needs in Kentucky." A strong plea was entered yesterday afternoon that the department of education try to secure shorter hours for the Paducah schools.

The open meeting was held at 3 o'clock and was in charge of the Musical department, Mrs. James Wellie, chairman. An attractive musical program was rendered. Those taking part were: Mrs. George B. Hart, Miss Puryear, Miss Mary Bolling, Mrs. Lela Lewis, Mrs. David Flournoy and Miss Anne Bradshaw. Miss Virginia Newell contributed a fine paper along the line of musical progress and advancement.

The next meeting of the club will be February 21, and the department of Art will have charge. It is desired that the business session begin promptly at 2 o'clock, and the open meeting at 3 o'clock.

### Card Party for Visitors.

Mrs. Herman Friedman is entertaining at cards this afternoon at her home on Jefferson street in honor of her house guests Miss Stella Levy, of New Orleans, and Miss Blum, of Nashville, and of other visitors in the city.

The Rev. J. R. Henry, pastor of the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church, has returned from Nashville, where he attended a missionary conference of the states, of Kentucky, Tennessee and Alabama.

Mrs. Harry Ellas and Mrs. Edith Rushing, of Cairo, Ill., are visiting Mrs. George Lehnhard, 422 South Fourth street.

Mrs. J. C. Tully, of Jefferson street, is still sick from the fall she received last Thursday. While going down into the basement Mrs. Tully fell and sprained her left wrist badly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Irving, of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. Fannie Baker has returned from Madisonville, Ky., where she was called by the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. V. Davis.

Miss Bettie Scyster, Mr. Marvin Scyster and Misses Laura Abel, Helen Dunn and Lizzie Dunn, of Smithland, returned home yesterday after a brief visit in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Hall, of Frondale, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hall.

Mrs. King Brooks and mother, Mrs. Nannie C. Goodwin, yesterday went to Los Angeles, Cal., for the winter.

Miss Maud Mason, of Hickory Grove, is visiting Mrs. Hub Pullen.

Mrs. Frank Barnhardt, of Smithland, is visiting in this city.

Miss Cuthbert Roach, of Gracely, will arrive today to visit Miss Sarah Weak's of North Fourth street.

Mrs. Sallie West and daughter, Ida, left yesterday to visit at Hopson, Ky.

Mr. Martin Vogt and family are visiting in Paducah. Mr. Vogt's son, at Golconda was caught in the high water necessitating a suspension of business.

T. L. Mahoney, an Illinois Central dispatcher of Memphis, has recovered and returned home. He had been here four weeks being treated for appendicitis.

Dr. Ernest Stevens, a Paducah dentist now residing in Paris, Ky., is seriously ill of typhoid fever at Paris.

Mrs. Harry Mears and Miss Mallie Parkins will leave Monday for Chattanooga, Tenn., to visit.

Miss Virginia Kinney, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Faith Langstaff, left today for St. Augustine, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Marjorie Scott will leave tomorrow for Indianola, Fla., to visit.

Mrs. William S. Borton, who has been the guest of Miss Julia Scott, at 725 Madison street, will leave this evening at 6 o'clock for Helena, Ark., to attend the marriage of a friend before returning to her home in Atlanta.

Miss Frances Wallace leaves this evening at 6 o'clock to visit friends in Helena, Ark.

A. C. Jackson, engineer at the King mills in Mechanicsburg, is at Riverside hospital where he was operated on yesterday by Dr. Carl M. Sears.

Mrs. Ida Gilbert of Mayfield road is recovering from her recent illness.

Judge—"You say he humbugged you. What do you mean by that?" Woman—"Well, Yur ludship, I don't know how to explain exactly but if I was to say yur ludship was a 'andsome man, that would be humbugging you!"—Ally Sloper's Half-Holiday.

He cannot move hearts whose heart cannot be moved.

Telling your troubles only expands them.

Pleasure itself is not so expensive as the cost of getting over it.

## IN THE COURTS

### Police Court.

W. A. Kramer, a barber accused of entering a Mechanicsburg barber shop and carrying away tools and selling them as his own, waived examination on the charge of obtaining money by false pretenses, and was held over under a \$300 bond which he failed to give.

Frank James, colored, charged with stealing over \$20 worth of laundry from the Star laundry wagon, was acquitted.

Pete Caldwell, colored, for raising a disturbance, was fined \$40 and costs.

Other cases: William Beckenbach, drunkenness, \$1 and costs; May Beasley, drunk and disorderly, \$30 and costs; Theobald Peters, selling liquor without a license, continued; Buck Whitehurst, breach of the peace, \$5 and costs, and Young Taylor, same charge, dismissed; Robert Harris and J. H. Robertson, drunk and disorderly, \$5 and costs.

### Deeds Filed.

Arthur Murray to Mrs. Mary Murray, property on South Seventh street, \$1 and other considerations.

### Marriage License.

D. W. Simpson to Maude Perdue. DEEDS... R

Cecil Reed, M. C., to Louise Welch, property at Third and Madison streets, \$1,700.

T. W. Allen to A. J. Weldon, property in the county, \$1 and other considerations.

E. W. Whittemore to Virginia Weldon, property in the Weldon addition, \$1 and other considerations.

Virginia Weldon, et al. to E. W. Whittemore property in the Murrell addition \$1 and other considerations.

Charles Rutter, et al. to Mr. R. T. Washburn property in the Fountain park addition, \$100.

### Trout, Frozen in Ice, Alive.

That trout remain alive for a considerable time after being frozen in the ice is declared by some choppers at Caribou who say that they have proved the fact to their own satisfaction. The men were encamped eight miles south of Caribou on the shore of a small pond abounding in trout, when they ran out of provisions. It being illegal to take trout at this time of the year, they hesitated before fishing for them through the ice, but hunger overcame their scruples. They hit well and as they did not wish to keep an oversupply on hand where game wardens might discover them the men put all they could not eat into a nearby spring alive. They would then scoop them out as they were needed. One night the temperature dropped suddenly, and in the morning the spring, as well as the trout, was frozen solid. Provisions had arrived the night before, and no attention was paid to the spring until the following day, when one of the men went there with an ax and chopped out enough for dinner. The trout, stiff and hard, were placed in a pan of cold water to thaw out, and a little later the cook was startled to see them open their mouth wriggle their tails and move about.

—Kennebec Journal.

If man was not so prone to err, here would be no credit in his being good.

Narrow, cynical men refrigerate the atmosphere which surrounds them.

READY FOR YOU SATURDAY, FEB. 2ND.

## AT CLARK'S SPECIAL

1 dozen Clothes Pins	..... 5
1 1/2 lb bag Omega Flour	..... 75
1 1/2 lb bag Pansy Flour	..... 65
1/2 bu. Irish Potatoes	..... 35
2 K. dry Red Onions	..... 25
1 dozen large Sour Pickles	..... 10
1 dozen large Dill Pickles	..... 15
1 lb. Layer Figs	..... 25
1/2 lb. Navy Beans	..... 25
1 3lb cans Table Peaches	..... 50
1 cans cut Green Beans	..... 25
1 lb can cut Asparagus Tips	..... 25
1 cans Mousoon Asparagus	..... 95
1 3lb cans Baked Beans	..... 20
1 cans Standard Corn	..... 20
1 cans Fernfield Peas	..... 50
1 cans Rose of Sharon Peas	..... 50
1 cans Succotash	..... 25
1 lbs. Red Prunes	..... 25
1 lbs. Black Prunes	..... 25
1 cakes German Sweet Chocolate	..... 25
1 cans Main Cream Corn	..... 25
1 3lb Rose of Sharon Beets	..... 35
1 shredded Coconut, per lb.	..... 20
1 lbs Dry Lima Beans	..... 20
1 lbs Fancy Evaporated Peaches	..... 35
1 lb can White Cherries	..... 25
1 cans Raspberry Preserves	..... 25
1 cans Blackberry Preserves	..... 25
1 lb cans Pure Preserves	..... 25
2 3lb cans White Heath peaches	..... 25
2 Nice Bananas, per dozen	..... 10
1 Queen Olives, per quart	..... 55
5 bags Table Salt	..... 15
7 bars Swift's Pride Soap	..... 25

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"A man who is furnished with arguments from the mint will quickly convince his antagonist," and a merchant who is armed with price-arguments that appeal to the purse will always find people responsive to them.

EAT at Whitehead's restaurant.

ROOMS—For rent with board, 212 South Fourth.

GRAY HORSE and rubber tire buggy for sale cheap, 640 Broadway.

FOR Heating and Stove-wood ring 437 F. Levin.

H. H. MEYER, the fresco artist. Old phone 1561.

ROOM and board, 408 Washington. Old phone 2500.

CLOTHES cleaned and repaired. Jas. Duffy, Phone 956-a.

OVERSTREET, the painter. New phone 1025, old phone 975.

WILLIAMS Furniture exchange, 538 South Third. Furniture bought and sold. New phone 900-a.

FOR RENT—Cheap three connecting rooms, with bath, 918 Monroe.

FOR SALE—Nice 4-year-old horse, safe for lady to drive, also nice run-about and harness. Old phone 988.

SEND your clothes to the Faultless Pressing club, 302 1/2 Broadway. High & Browder, proprietors. Bots phones 1507.

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping or rooms for board. Apply 403 South Seventh. Old phone 1749.

FOR SALE—Lease on flat H. in Cochran apartments, and a lot of handsome furniture, carpets and draperies in use only two weeks. Apply at the flat.

WANTED—Board and room between Ninth and Twelfth on Broadway or Jefferson, by young man. Private family preferred. Address K. care Sun.

WANTED—HOUSE GIRL—Experienced girl in housework can get good wages and permanent position by applying immediately at 328 North Eighth street.

LOST—An old gold cross and chain, between Harbour's store and Sixth and Broadway or from there to 302 South Sixth. Return to Sun office for reward.

WANTED—Young lady bookkeeper, of experience, and who understands the use of the Remington type writer. Apply in own handwriting, and be prepared to furnish reference. J. E. care The Sun.

Lawson—"But I tell you he isn't a Kentuckian, no matter what he says."

Dawson—"How do you know?" Lawson—"Why, the corkscrew in his knife is rusty."—Somerville Journal.

### DRESS SUIT ORIGIN.

Chicago, Jan. —Prof. Frederick Starr, of the University of Chicago, recently returned from the jungles of Africa, has analyzed the evening dress suit, its origin and component parts, and finds that it is a survival of a riding habit in vogue at the time of the Norman conquest, 800 years ago.

He explained to his class in anthropology, at the university yesterday that the dress coat has descended from an "old fashioned practical coat in which a man worked and walked." He also pointed out what he called the real reason why waiters dress themselves in the customary "open-work regalia."

The anthropologist's analysis of the dress suit was as follows:

The cutting away at the waist of the coat had once the purpose of preventing the coat skirts from getting in the way of riding.

The buttons at the back of the coat once served the purpose of fastening the skirts behind to prevent flaring in the wind or wrinkling.

The present cut of the collar keeps the now misplaced notches to allow its being turned up or down.

The silk facings representing the old ordinary lining.

The sham cuffs now made with a seam around the wrist, once were real cuffs when the sleeves were turned back.

"Our dress suit today is only a survival of what originally was a riding habit. Its use was confined entirely to the richer class, who alone could afford to own horses. When a riding habit showed signs of wear it was given a servant, and today our waiters, butlers and other servants are using the conventional fashion which originated centuries ago."

The stab of an angry woman's eyes hurts worse than the keenest knife.

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3 pkgs. Virginia Sweet Pan Cake Flour	..... 25
4 lbs Raisins for	..... 25
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3 cans Macaroni for	..... 15
1 Layer Figs, per lb.	..... 10
3 cans Corn for	..... 25
3 cans Golden Glow Beans	..... 25
7 lbs Navy Beans for	..... 25
15 bars Tom Boy Soap for	..... 25
6 bars White Floating Soap	..... 25
Rice, per lb.	..... 5
Country Potatoes, per peck	..... 15
Irish Potatoes, per peck	..... 15
3 cans Hi Lo Baking Powder for	..... 25
The Famous White Dove Flour, per sack	..... 70
4 lbs Crackers for	..... 25
2 pkgs. Zwieback for	..... 25
Apples, per peck	..... 25
3 Mackrel for	..... 25
2 bars Fuller's Soap for	..... 5
2 pkgs. White Line Washing Powder for	..... 5
3 lbs. Prunes for	..... 25
2 cans Little Fellow Peas	..... 25
Table Peaches, per can	..... 15
3 lbs. Cooking Figs for	..... 25



## Savant Solving the Mystery of Life

It is now asserted that Dr. Leduc, a French savant, living at Nantes, has really succeeded in producing a living organism by a chemical experiment.

The new discovery was communicated recently to the Paris Academy of Science by M. d'Arsoval, and has naturally aroused great interest among biologists.

In order to obtain the personal explanation of his remarkable experiments, I called on Dr. Leduc and found him very much disturbed by the excitement aroused by his work, and considerably worried by the almost innumerable demands made upon his time by curious callers.

"It is 15 years," he said, "since I began my researches into the culture of the artificial cell. All the investigations into the phenomena of vegetable and animal life are aimed at determining the physical and chemical forces that produce the forms presented by living beings. Directly or indirectly life consists in a collection of physico-chemical phenomena and the problem of biogenesis, or spontaneous generation is a scientific problem.

"This problem of the spontaneous production of new life has been so far inaccurately stated. Those who have approached it by experiment have sought at once to produce a living being, with all the complexity of its forms and of its many functions. But since biology consists in determining the forces that produce a form of life, it is more reasonable to seek to produce that form by the sole play of these same forces existing life.

"It is from this standpoint that the problem of spontaneous generation ought to be regarded. It consists not in seeking at once to produce a living being, but in seeking to direct the forces of nature and thus to reproduce separately the elementary forms of living beings."

Having thus explained the general idea that actuated his work Dr. Leduc went on to speak of the experiments on the germination and growth of the artificial cell.

"Into a diluted solution of sulphate of copper I let fall a 'drop' of syrup containing traces of ferrocyanide of potassium. The drop becomes covered with a membrane of ferrocyanide of copper, which water can permeate, but which is impenetrable to the sugar. This cell is similar to the cell of Traube, but differing from it because it not only has the faculty of swelling and increasing, but also of putting out extensions like rootlets and little stems, and one seems to see these extensions slowly growing."

The doctor then proceeded to illustrate his experiments by dropping his various chemicals into a test tube. The cells formed began to test tube with remarkable swiftness. Fragile tendrils, shot out of the parent cells, terminating in shapes that resembled leaves, blades of grass or miniature ferns. And the doctor explained in detail how these "plants" possessed many of the characteristics of living organisms. While they possessed the power of nutrition and growth they lacked the power of reproducing their species. They proved to be

extremely sensitive to heat, cold and light, and when wounded are able to cure themselves.

"I have sought to realize the conditions of the seed, in the interior of which, during the period of generation, two forces (osmotic pressure and cohesion) are working," continued Dr. Leduc.

"The contact of the ferrocyanide of potassium with the sulphate of copper produces the envelope. Under the influence of the difference of osmotic pressure between the 'drop' and the liquid, into which it is plunged, the water penetrates through the 'skin' of the envelope which the sugar cannot yet through.

"The cell gradually increases in size, until some minutes at one point of the surface sprouts a bud, which is surrounded immediately by a 'skin' of ferrocyanide of copper. On the top of this bud a second is produced, on that a third, and so on.

Each bud represents a cell, and one sees the cells slowly develop in a straight line, one after the other, in order to form a hollow stem, of which the length can exceed by more than 10 times the diameter of the cell which gave it birth.

"The artificial cell absorbs into itself the substance necessary for its growth by the aid of which it produces a form many times larger than itself. It is easy to understand that the growth takes the form of a stem, because the last bud has always the weakest and thinnest membrane, and therefore gives way first under the development of the osmotic pressure.

"Sometimes during the experiment a small 'cell' is thrown off by the original 'cell,' from which it detaches itself completely. One can see, then, this small 'cell' grow, bud, put out stems which grow, and finally reproduce a form similar to that from which it has come.

"Such," concluded Dr. Leduc, "is the whole secret of the growth of the artificial cell. This growth is horizontal or vertical, according to whether it is produced on a glass plate or in a tube. One cell can produce from 15 to 20 branches with leaves and points, and provided with terminal organs, round or pear-shaped, resembling a tendril or the head of a mushroom, according to the composition of the liquid in which the culture took place and the conditions of the growth."

Before leaving I was shown some tubes in which Dr. Leduc had carried out his artificial culture. They were extremely curious, having all the appearance of natural vegetation. —Nantes (France) Cor. London Express.

The Lady—"What! 38 cents a dozen for eggs!"

The Grocer—"Well, mum, you must remember that one egg is a whole day's work for one hen." —Cleveland Leader.

Wisdom often lies in knowing what not to know as much as in knowing many things.

Many a man misses happiness because he goes too far from home to look for it.

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## WATCHES VICTIM OVER AN HOUR

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Terrible Deed of New York Man to Revenge Wife's Death on Her Physician.

TOWNSEND MURDER CLEARED.

New York, Feb. 1.—Howard Bell, a half-brother of John Bell a trolley car conductor who is locked up charged with having murdered Dr. Charles Wilmot Townsend in New Brighton early on Saturday morning, admitted to Coroner Cahill and District Attorney Kenney of Richmond county today that John had made a confession of guilt to him.

If true the story discloses a case where a murderer sat for an hour in the room with his intended victim, debating whether he should put the man, then sleeping peacefully to death; whether he should deprive of their father the children he saw in their beds across the hall, or whether he should forget his grievance and spare the life he had so absolutely at his mercy. But the mad desire for revenge triumphed.

Howard Bell said his half-brother made his confession to him on last Sunday morning, a little more than 24 hours after the crime was committed. At the time practically the entire Bell family—father, stepfather, stepmother, sister, John and Howard—were together at the father's home in Williamsburg.

**Family Begins to Suspect Man.**  
John had been acting peculiarly, which caused them to suspect him. An evening paper which had contained an account of the murder had disappeared mysteriously from the house and on Sunday morning the page of a daily paper which told of the tragedy had been torn out and destroyed. The members of the family were talking over these things, when John called his half-brother into a front room. According to Howard, he said: "I didn't want the folks to know about it, but I have avenged Mame's death. I have done up Dr. Townsend."

By Mame Bell meant his wife, who died a year ago from the day on which Townsend was shot. He seemed to hold the doctor accountable for her death.

John, according to his half brother had gone over to Staten Island on a ferryboat Friday evening, and had hung around the doctor's house until about 3 o'clock in the morning, when he entered it.

**Spends Hour Debating Killing.**  
He told his half-brother that he was in the house fully an hour before he did the shooting. A greater part of that time he spent in a bedroom on the second floor where the doctor and his wife were sleeping. In the next room were their two youngest daughters.

Bell admitted, according to his half-brother's statements, that the thought of them caused him to falter. He began to debate whether he ought to deprive them of their father, but then the thought came to him finally that the doctor had deprived him of his all in life, and he decided "he would do it anyway."

Most of this soliloquizing, the younger Bell said, took place near the bed where the doctor and his wife lay. When John Bell's mind finally was made up, according to the story of the confession, he awakened the doctor, who exclaimed: "If you are here to rob, take what you can find, and do not harm my family or me."

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"At present the captain was lost in his ambitious dreams. But with Private Bill' Osborne things were not well. He had never been on horseback more than ten minutes in all his life before that day. He had ridden 14 miles since morning, without saddle or blanket. Although he was a fat little boy, he was, to say the least, very unhappy. The horse was a tall, statuesque steed, with an air of austere melancholy and a back bone that knew no dissimulation. The captain had christened her 'Oklahoma Belle,' after a local race-track favorite. Oklahoma Belle had passed into the Gang's possession from that of a nomadic horse trader for the consideration of two dollars and seventy-five cents, and to do the Gang's business acumen justice, it must be said that she was worth the money. The captain felt superlatively proud of the purchase. The aid-de-camp, though he was not what you could call an equestrian and Belle's long legs consumed him with terror, nevertheless was thrilled because she was his mount. But Private Bill, who shared her seating capacity with the aid-de-camp, had regarded Belle with antagonism from the outset. In her usual pace, one of great deliber-

ateness, her long, uncertainly-jointed limbs worked with a stilt-like movement that gave him the hiccoughs and a crick in his side; whenever she indulged in a burst of speed she trotted in a way that jarred his very soul. With fingers, elbows, and knees he clutched the form of the aid-de-camp, who, befittingly, rode in front. But he could not keep from bouncing. Up he went, coming down with such a thud as to jolt even his voice-box, which at every descent emitted a chugging grunt that could

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# THE Masquerader

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#### CHAPTER IV.

TO those whose sphere lies in the west of London, Fleet street is little more than a name and Clifford's inn a mere dead letter. Yet Clifford's inn lies as safely stowed away in the shadow of the law courts as any grave under a country church wall. It is as green of grass, as gray of stone, as irresponsible to the passing footstep.

Facing the railed in grass plot of its little court stood the house in which John Loder had his rooms. Taken at a first glance the house had the deserted air of an office, inhabited only in the early hours, but as night fell lights would be seen to show out, first on one floor, then on another—faint, human beacons unconsciously signaling each other. The rooms Loder inhabited were on the highest floor, and from their windows one might gaze philosophically on the treetops, forgetting the uneven pavement and the worn railing that hemmed them around. In the landing outside the rooms his name appeared above his door, but the paint had been soiled by time and the letters for the most part reduced to shadows, so that, taken in conjunction with the gaunt staircase and bare walls, the place had a cheerless look.

Inside, however, the effect was somewhat mitigated. The room on the right hand as one entered the small passage that served as hall was of fair size, though low ceiled. The paint of the wall paneling, like the name above the outer door, had long ago been worn to a dirty and nondescript hue, and the floor was innocent of carpet. Yet in the middle of the room stood a fine old Cromwell table, and along the mantlepiece were some valuable books—political and historical. There were no curtains on the windows and a common reading lamp with a green shade stood on a desk. It was the room of a man with few hobbies and no pleasures, who existed because he was alive and worked because he must.

Three nights after the great fog John Loder sat by his desk in the light of the green shaded lamp. The remains of a very frugal supper stood on the center table, and in the grate a small and economical looking fire was burning. Having written for close on two hours, he pushed back his chair and stretched his cramped fingers. Then he yawned, rose and slowly walked across the room. Reaching the mantelpiece he took a pipe from the pipe rack and some tobacco from the jar that stood behind the books. His face looked tired and a little worn, as is common with men who have worked long at an unceasing task. Shredding the tobacco between his hands he slowly filled the pipe, then lit it from the fire with a spill of twisted paper.

Almost at the moment that he applied the light the sound of steps mounting the uncarpeted stairs outside caught his attention and he raised his head to listen.

Presently the steps halted and he heard a match struck. The stranger was evidently uncertain of his whereabouts. Then the steps moved forward again and paused.

An expression of surprise crossed Loder's face and he laid down his pipe. As the visitor knocked he walked quietly across the room and opened the door.

The passage outside was dark and the newcomer drew back before the light from the room.

"Mr. Loder?" he began interrogatively. Then all at once he laughed in embarrassed apology. "Forgive me," he said. "The light rather dazzled me. I didn't realize who it was."

Loder recognized the voice as belonging to his acquaintance of the fog.

"Oh, it's you?" he said. "Won't you come in?" His voice was a little cold. This sudden resurrection left him surprised, and not quite pleasantly surprised. He walked back to the fireplace, followed by his guest.

The guest seemed nervous and agitated. "I must apologize for the hour of my visit," he said. "My—my time is not quite my own."

Loder waved his hand. "Whose time is his own?" he said.

Chilcote, encouraged by the remark, drew nearer to the fire. Until this moment he had refrained from looking directly at his host. Now, however, he raised his eyes, and, despite his preparation, he recoiled unvoluntarily before the extraordinary resemblance. Seen here, in the casual surroundings of a badly furnished and crudely lighted room, it was even more astounding than it had been in the mystery of the fog.

"Forgive me," he said again. "It is physical, purely physical. I am bowled over against my will." Loder smiled. The slight contempt that Chilcote had first inspired rose again, and with it a second feeling less easily defined. The man seemed so unstable, so incapable, yet so grotesquely suggestive to himself.

"The likeness is rather overwhelming," he said, "but not heavy enough to sink under. Come nearer the fire. What brought you here? Curiosity?" There was a wooden armchair by the fireplace. He indicated it with a wave of the hand, then turned and took up his smoldering pipe.

Chilcote, watching him furtively, obeyed the gesture and sat down. "It is extraordinary," he said, as if

unable to dismiss the subject. "It—it is quite extraordinary!"

"The other glanced round. 'Let's drop it,' he said. 'It's so confoundedly obvious.' Then his tone changed. 'Won't you smoke?' he asked.

"Thanks." Chilcote began to fumble for his cigarettes.

But his host forestalled him. Taking a box from the mantelpiece, he held it out.

"My one extravagance?" he said ironically. "My resources bind me to one; and I think I have made a wise selection. It is about the only vice we haven't to pay for six times over." He glanced sharply at the face so absurdly like his own, then, lighting a fresh spill, offered his guest a light.

Chilcote moistened his cigarette and leaned forward. In the flare of the paper his face looked set and anxious, but Loder saw that the lips did not twitch as they had done on the previous occasion that he had given him a light, and a look of comprehension crossed his eyes.

"What will you have, or, rather, will you have a whisky? I keep nothing else. Hospitality is one of the debarred luxuries."

Chilcote shook his head. "I seldom drink. But don't let that deter you."

Loder smiled. "I have one drink in the twenty-four hours—generally at 2 o'clock, when my night's work is done. A solitary man has to look where he is going."

"You work till 2?"

"Two or 3."

Chilcote's eyes wandered to the desk. "You write?" he asked.

The other nodded curtly. "Books?" Chilcote's tone was anxious.

Loder laughed, and the bitter note showed in his voice.

"No; not books," he said.

Chilcote leaned back in his chair and passed his hand across his face. The strong wave of satisfaction that the words woke in him was difficult to conceal.

"What is your work?"

Loder turned aside. "You must not ask that," he said shortly. "When a man has only one capacity, and the capacity has no outlet, he is apt to run to seed in a wrong direction. I cultivate weeds, at abominable labor and a very small reward."

His attitude was a curious blending of pride, defiance and despondency.

Chilcote leaned forward again. "Why speak of yourself like that? You are a man of intelligence and education."

He spoke questioningly, anxiously. "Intelligence and education?" Loder laughed shortly. "London is cemented with intelligence. And education? What is education? The court dress necessary to presentation, the wig and gown necessary to the barrister. But do the wig and gown necessarily mean brains or the court dress royal favor? Education is the necessary. It is inducement that is essential. You should know that."

Chilcote moved restlessly in his seat. "You talk bitterly," he said.

"The other looked up. 'I think bitterly, which is worse. I am one of the unlucky beggars who in the expectation of money have been denied a profession—even a trade, to which to cling in time of shipwreck—and who when disaster comes drift out to sea. I warned you the other night to steer clear of me. I come under the head of dot-sam!'"

Chilcote's face lighted. "You came a cropper?" he asked.

"No. It was some one else who came the cropper. I only dealt in results."

"Big results?"

"A drop from a probable \$80,000 to a certain \$800."

Chilcote glanced up. "How did you take it?" he asked.

"? Oh, I was twenty-five then. I had a good many hopes and a lot of pride; but there is no place for either in a working world."

"But your people?"

"My last relation died with the fortune."

"Your friends?"

Loder laid down his pipe. "I told you I was twenty-five," he said, with the tinge of humor that sometimes crossed his manner. "Doesn't that explain

## RAILROADS MUST USE THEIR LAND

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Court of Appeals Upholds Section Prohibiting Holding of Real Estate.

#### CASE UP FROM LOUISVILLE.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 1.—In reversing a judgment of the Jefferson county court, second division, in a case of the commonwealth, for the use of the Louisville school board, against the Illinois Central Railroad company and others, and sending it back for trial on the facts, the court of appeals today declared to be wise Section 192 of the Kentucky constitution which provides that no corporation shall hold any real estate, except such as may be proper and necessary for carrying on its legitimate business, for a longer period than five years, under penalty of escheat.

The court upholds Section 2971 of the Kentucky statutes, authorizing the school boards of cities of the first class to institute action for the escheat of such property for the cause mentioned in Section 192 of the constitution and Section 567, Kentucky statutes. The court further says that the fact that the legislature has allowed the use of escheats in cities of the first class to the public schools in such cities, and authorized the school board to sue and recover them is not special legislation, although the state does not allow the same privilege to the school board of other cities.

Important to Railroads. The decision, which is one of great importance to the railroad companies operating and owning property in the state of Kentucky, was announced for the court by Chief Justice O'Rear, the full bench considering the questions presented in the case. The action was instituted by the Louisville school board to recover as escheated property certain lots of real estate lying along the river front in Louisville between First and Fourteenth streets, it being charged in the petition that the said real estate was not necessary or proper, and was not being used for carrying on the legitimate business as a railroad corporation, and had not been so needed and used for more than five years before the beginning of the suit. The trial judge sustained a special demurrer to the petition, suggesting the plaintiff's incapacity to maintain the action. The court here, in reversing the judgment entered below, says the school board of Louisville can maintain the action, and orders a trial upon the facts.

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things? I had never taken favors in prosperity. A change of fortune was not likely to alter my ways. As I have said, I was twenty-five." He smiled. "When I realized my position I sold all my belongings with the exception of a table and a few books—which I stored. I put on a walking suit and let my beard grow. Then, with my entire capital in my pocket, I left England without saying goodbye to any one."

"For how long?"

"Oh, for six years. I wandered half over Europe and through a good part of Asia in the time."

"And then?"

"Then? Oh, I shaved off the beard and came back to London." He looked at Chilcote, partly contemptuous, partly amused at his curiosity.

But Chilcote sat staring in silence. The domination of the other's personality and the fullness of his achievements baffled him.

Loder saw his bewilderment. "You wonder what the devil I came into the world for," he said. "I sometimes wonder the same myself."

At his words a change passed over Chilcote. He half rose, then dropped back into his seat.

"You have no friends?" he said.

"Your life is worth nothing to you?" Loder raised his head. "I thought I had conveyed that impression."

"You are an absolutely free man."

"No man is free who works for his bread. If things had been different I might have been in such shoes as yours, sauntering in legislative byways. My hopes turned that way once. But hopes, like more substantial things, belong to the past." He stopped abruptly and looked at his companion.

The change in Chilcote had become more acute. He sat fingering his cigarette, his brows drawn down, his lips set nervously in a conflict of emotions. For a space he stayed very still, avoiding Loder's eyes; then, as if decision had suddenly come to him, he turned and met his gaze.

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#### PRES. SCHWERIN'S STATEMENT

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 1.—That an "unwritten agreement" exists between the Southern Pacific railroad and the Santa Fe whereby they share the citrus fruit traffic of southern California was the sensational testimony brought out by the government at today's hearing of the Harriman merger case before Interstate Commerce Commissioner Lane.

W. A. Bissell, assistant traffic manager of the Santa Fe system and a director in the Western Pacific railroad, conceded under oath that the two roads are observing the "unwritten agreement" whereby each scrupulously avoids any intrusion into the other's territory after the fruit has been packed.

President Schwerin testified that the San Francisco and Portland Steamship company, of which he is also president, had recently raised steamship rates and that at the same time the Southern Pacific raised its rate to Portland. Commissioner Lane brought out the fact that the rise of the steamship rates followed a conversation on the subject with Traffic Manager Luce of the Southern Pacific.

Schwerin volunteered the statement that there was no real competition between the railway and the steamers because the steamers give better service and get more freight than they can handle without solicitation. This statement was not relished by the railroad men present. It was afterward modified by Schwerin as applying only to present temporary conditions.

Tommy—"Pop, why do people put pennies in the collection plate?"

Tommy's Pop—"Because there are no smaller coins, my son."—Philadelphia Record.

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Pumpkins, 3 cans special, .24c  
Milder Herring 3 special, .10c  
Roll Herring, 3 special, .10c  
Flour, Northern Wheat Special, .65c  
Flour, finest of hard wheat, Sk., .60c  
Tomato Soup, 3 cans special, .15c  
Coffee, Cuban cup 3 lbs special, .50c  
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Meal, 10 lb (Pk.), .14c

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Harold: "Have you heard the news? Reggy De Soft rescued a widow from the breakers the other day."  
Hobart: "But who is going to rescue Reggy?"

### Where Would France Stand in Case the United States and Japan Fight?

A correspondent has expressed the opinion that in the event of a war between England and Japan on the one hand and the United States and Germany on the other, France would side with the two combatants first named. It seems most probable that she would decide to remain neutral.

So far as we know the subject has not yet been discussed in the Paris press. Intelligent Frenchmen, however, cannot have failed to observe that an influential German newspaper, generally accepted as a semi-official organ, has declared that should the United States become involved in a war with an Anglo-Japanese own interest in determining her course, and it is certainly not for her interest to see the American navy driven from the ocean. Commenting with approval Vienna newspaper has said that Austria's interests would impel her to co-operate with Germany, even though she might not be constrained to take such a step by the text of the Triple Alliance. Such newspaper assertions do not, of course, commit a government or necessarily foreshadow its intention, but as we have formerly said, it is incredible that Emperor William would forego an opportunity of securing what he has striven patiently to gain, the good will of the American people.

The French, on their part, while they are by temperament impulsive, have been taught by bitter experience to count the cost before rushing into war, and common sense would make them recognize that in land operations against Germany they would inevitably be beaten unless they should receive aid from Russia. That Russia would countenance any combination which if successful, would have for its outcome the exaltation of Japan is inconceivable. Such a hypothesis would be on the face of it a reductio ad absurdum. Undoubtedly the St. Petersburg government would insist, in the consistency supposed, that France should remain strictly neutral, and, willingly or unwillingly, France would have to yield.

Why should anybody imagine that Frenchmen would desire to combine with Japan and Great Britain against the United States? They are under no obligations to enter into such a coalition. An entente cordiale should not, of course be confounded with a treaty. The Anglo-French treaty put an end to a number of controversies which had given trouble in the past; but the only part of it which has any bearing on the future is the agreement that France submit to Great Britain's exercise of a tutelar function in Egypt on condition that the assertion of a similar protectorate on the part of France in Morocco should be upheld. In view of Germany's opposition, the condition could not be and has not been fulfilled. The consideration not being forthcoming, a very different arrangement from that designed for Morocco having been effected at Algeiras, it is at least disputable whether the agreement concerning Egypt is any longer binding upon France.

The entente cordiale when not based on great services offered and accepted, is apt to prove ephemeral. Two years ago an entente cordiale of an apparently fervent and certainly effusive kind existed between Great Britain and the United States, yet it did not prevent Lord Lansdowne

from negotiating a treaty with Japan which at least would compel Great Britain to remain neutral in a contest between the Tokio government and the United States, even if the British foreign office should argue—strange argument!—that the duty of protecting the mikado's subject in the Philippines, Hawaii and San Francisco was not included in the "special interests" contemplated in the Anglo-Japanese alliance. Any such interpretation of the treaty would be sure to be repudiated at Tokio. If, then, the entente cordiale which two years ago existed between the United States and Britain was, in the opinion of the British foreign office, compatible with the formation of the alliance with Japan, what value will a cordiale understanding with England have for France?

But for the fact that by acquiring a large part of further India, France has given a hostage to fortune and has exposed herself to injury at the hands of the Japanese, she could doubtless be prevailed upon by her Russian ally to become a supporter of an American-German combination. France, Germany and Russia might co-operate today in the Atlantic with as much propriety as they co-operated in 1895 in the Pacific. The dismemberment of Alsace-Lorraine is 12 years further off than it was then. France, however, might be excused for not wishing to risk the loss of her large possessions in Indo-China, which have but recently begun to be remunerative.

We incline to think, then, that in the event of a war between Japan and the United States the French republic would be neutral although it would be subjected probably to very strong pressure in fear of an active exposal of our cause.—N. Y. Sun.

Congressman Maynard, telegraphs to the Virginia-Pilot that this year's rivers and harbors bill will carry an appropriation of \$1,131,000 for harbor work at Norfolk.

It takes as much skill to be a successful sinner as it does to keep from sinning.

### New Directory

Copy for our next directory will go to press January 30. All changes and additions should be received before this date. Our directory is the Recognized city directory of the well-to-do. You are socially and commercially lost if your name does not appear.

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### RIVER NEWS

River Stages.	
Cairo	48.7 0.4 fall
Chattanooga	5.0 0.1 fall
Cincinnati	20.5 1.5 fall
Evansville	39.0 2.7 fall
Florence	4.5 0.8 rise
Johnsonville	12.8 0.3 fall
Louisville	8.2 1.0 fall
Mt. Carmel	21.1 1.4 fall
Nashville	11.0 0.2 fall
Pittsburg	3.8 0.1 rise
St. Louis	16.5 0.7 fall
Mt. Vernon	44.0 1.8 fall
Paducah	44.3 0.5 fall

The river is slipping down the wharf. The fall in the last 24 hours was 0.5, the stage this morning being at 44.3. Business at the wharf last night and today was dull, the arrival of the Kentucky being the only diverting incident. Indications are that the river will fall more rapidly as it gets lower, unless boosted again by rain.

Speaking of the weather, a Tennessee mountaineer working on the dry docks gives the long sought-for explanation of the unprecedented warm weather and rains in January. He says that if the wind blows all day from the south on New Year's day it means 40 days of warm weather and rains. And that after February 9 settled weather may be expected, as the 40 days will be up then. Certain it is that 30 days of warm weather and rain have passed and it looks like the remaining nine days will be realized. Vice versa, if the wind blows all day New Year's day from the north the following 40 days will be cold weather. This mountaineer has nothing but his weather-beaten experience to guide his judgment, but it seems more accurate than the weather reports in the last month, which have received many severe jolts.

The Scotia came in last night from the Cumberland river with a tow of ties. The Scotia ran out of coal a few miles up the river and the Mary N. had to carry coal to it before the trip could be finished.

They are building the frame work around the wheel of the Henry Harley below the old wharfloat, and that steamer will be ready to leave some time next week.

The Joe Fowler came in yesterday at 1 o'clock from Evansville delayed somewhat by the fogs on the river and left in an hour and a half on the return trip.

It will be next Tuesday or Wednesday before the John Hopkins will arrive from Mound City.

Captain John Rawlins, of Cairo, is in the city today looking over the Charles Turner now on the dry docks. He bought the Turner from Mrs. Gordon and will continue to operate it around Paducah.

The Margaret got away yesterday for the Tennessee river after a tow of ties.

An engineer was secured from Louisville yesterday for the Joe Wheeler and that steamer left for Chattanooga in the afternoon.

Fogs delayed the Kentucky last night and it did not arrive until this morning at 10 o'clock from the Tennessee river.

Mud left on the wharf here by the falling river will be cleaned off by the swift current until the river gets considerably lower, than the efficient fire department will gladly come down and clean the remainder of the wharf off until it looks like "spotless town"—NIT!

Captain L. W. Copeland is still acting pilot on the George Cowling in the place of James A. Annis who is sick.

On account of the Dick Fowler being laid up, the George Cowling is handling some trade it otherwise would not get. The Bettie Owen leaving at 8 o'clock for Brookport is taking all the Dick Fowler's business that far.

Frequent mention has been made in this column of the benefits derived by Paducah from the operation of such short packet lines as the Cowling, Royal, City of Terre Haute, and one or two gasoline boats. In situations like the present when several of the big lines are laid up, their value is more clearly seen.

**Official Forecasts.**  
The Ohio at Evansville and Mt. Vernon, will fall rapidly and at a greatly increasing rate during the next several days. At Paducah and Cairo, will fall at an increasing rate from day to day, the fall becoming rapid Saturday.

The Tennessee, from Florence to the mouth, will continue falling.

The Mississippi, from below St. Louis to Cairo, will continue falling.

The Wabash, at Mt. Carmel, will fall rapidly.

Poet—"What do you think of this little poem of mine, 'She Would Not Smile'?"

Editor—"I think if you had read the poem to her she would have smiled."—Le Rire.

A worthy life is impossible without a worthy motive.

## REMOVAL SPECIALS

For Saturday, February 2

9 lbs best Sugar	50c	3 packages 5c Soda	10c
24lb sk, finest first patent Flour	65c	1 pint Heinz large Bulk Olives	30c
3 cans 10c Corn	20c	1lb can of our 45c Baking Powder	only .30c
3 cans 10c Peas	20c	PALMER HOUSE Blend M. & J.	
3 cans 12 1/2c Tomatoes	28c	Coffee, the best on the market,	
7 lbs. Soup Beans	25c	2 pounds	.65c
7 lbs Flaked Hominy	23c	2 lbs of our G. P. Pride 30c Coffee	for .55c
7 lbs. Chopped Hominy	23c	2 lbs of our Fairy 25c Coffee for 45c	
Tomato Pulp, per can	5c	2 lbs. of our special 20c Coffee for 35c	
1 lb 20c Oleo Butter for	17c	2 lbs of our Extra 17 1/2c Coffee	
2 lbs. best Mixed Nuts	25c	for .33c	
15c bottle of our Extract, any	10c	2 lbs of our 15c Coffee	.27c
flavor		1 lb of Grated White Coconut	.22c
30c bottle of our Extracts, any	20c	1 lb of Layer Raisins	.10c
flavor		20c Chunk Pineapple	.15c
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